

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
ASHEVILLE DIVISION
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:20-cv-00284-MR-WCM**

CLEVELAND COUNTY COURT,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	<u>ORDER</u>
)	
GENEVA ERIN ROBINSON,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

THIS MATTER is before the Court *sua sponte*.

On October 2, 2020, the Defendant filed a Notice of Removal purporting to remove a criminal action from the Cleveland County General Court of Justice.¹ [Doc. 1]. The Defendant filed this Notice of Removal without paying the required filing fee or filing a motion to proceed without the prepayment of fees or costs. On October 7, 2020, the Clerk of Court sent the Defendant a Notice of Deficiency, giving her twenty-one (21) days to either pay the required filing fee or file the necessary motion. [Doc. 2]. In the Notice, the Defendant was warned that failure to comply with the Notice

¹ No state court pleadings were attached to the Defendant's Notice of Removal.

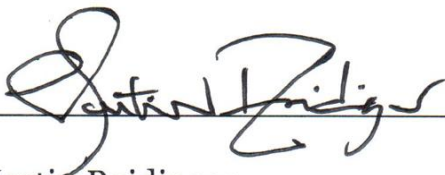
“may result in the dismissal of this action without prejudice for failure to prosecute.” [Id. at 1].

More than 21 days have now passed since the entry of the Clerk’s Notice, and the Defendant has failed to take any action in this case.

Accordingly, **IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that this case is hereby **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

The Clerk of Court is directed to close this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED. Signed: November 12, 2020



Martin Reidinger
Chief United States District Judge

